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- 1. FOREIGN MINISTRY OFFICIAL RESPONSIBLE FOR UNESCO/MAB HAS INFORMED US THAT AT WASHINGTON MEETING BRAZIL WILL ANNOUNCE DESIGNATION OF SOME 13-14 MILLION HECTARES IN AMAZON REGION AS BIOSPHERE RESERVE.
- 2. IN CONVERSATION, OFFICIAL LAUDED MAB PROGRAM, BUT WITHIN LIMITS: PROGRAM CAN PERFORM USEFUL FUNCTION, HE SAID, IN ESTABLISHING CRITERIA AND SETTING NORMS FOR NATIONAL ACTION, AND IN STANDARDIZING DATA FROM PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES AS MEANS OF IMPROVING GLOBAL STATISTICAL PICTURE; BUT GOB WILL NOT ACCEPT ANY KIND OF SUPRA-NATIONAL AUTHORITY, AND WILL CONTINUE TO DETERMINE ITS ACTIONS ON THE BASIS OF NATIONAL PRIORITIES. THE AMBAZON REGION, HE SAID, IS NOT TO BE CONSIDEERED "THE CENTRAL PARK OF SOUTH AMERICA". CRIMMINS

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